

92800 to 92882—Continued.

92823. No. 6878. *Shih ping wo kwa*, persimmon-cake or flat pumpkin, from the village of Hsiangtang.

92824. No. 6888. *Pa leng wo kwa*, 8-cornered pumpkin, from the East Market, Peiping.

92825. No. 6902. *Chang pa wo kwa*, long stem pumpkin. From the East Market, Peiping, March 2, 1931.

92826 to 92837. CUCURBITA PEPO L.
Pumpkin.

92826. No. 6795. From a seed merchant outside of the city. A variety commonly grown in the vicinity of Peiping.

Nos. 92827 to 92830 were collected at the Botanical Garden, Peiping, February 24, 1931.

92827. No. 6817. *Peiping west gourd*.

92828. No. 6823. *Bamboo short squash*. Originally from Kaifeng, Honan Province.

92829. No. 6829. *Large flower horn squash*.

92830. No. 6831. *Bitter Mongolia squash*.

92831. No. 6879. *Chiao kwa*, foot squash, from the village of Hsiangtang, 25 miles north of Peiping.

92832. No. 6880. *Hung chiao kwa*, red-foot squash, from the village of Hsiangtang.

Nos. 92833 to 92837 were obtained in the East Market, Peiping, March 2, 1931.

92833. No. 6889. *Chiao kwa*, foot squash.

92834. No. 6891. *Toar nan kwa*, peach shape south squash.

92835. No. 6892. *Nan kwa*, south squash.

92836. No. 6893. *Shih tzu nan kwa*, persimmon south squash.

92837. No. 6903. *Hsi hulu*, western gourd.

92838. DIOSPYROS KAKI L. f. Diospyraceae.
Kaki persimmon.

No. 7744. Seeds found in persimmons from the Toli region. These fruits are said to have thicker skins than persimmons from other regions, and, as a rule, are seedless.

92839. DOLICHOS LABLAB L. Fabaceae.
Hyacinth bean.

No. 6875. *Pien ton*, a flat bean with pods, said to be edible. From the village of Hsiangtang, 25 miles north of Peiping.

92840. GOSSYPIUM NANKING Meyen. Malvaceae.
Cotton.

No. 6801. From Chingtien, 10 miles south of Peiping, February 24, 1931. This is said to be a Chinese long-staple cotton.

Nos. 92841 to 92868 are a collection of commercial varieties obtained for the use of department specialists.

92841 to 92847. LAGENARIA LEUCANTHA (Duchesne) Rusby. (*L. vulgaris* Seringe). Cucurbitaceae. Calabash gourd.

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92841. No. 6881. *Ching hulu*, green gourd; from the village of Hsiangtang.

Nos. 92842 to 92847 were obtained in the East Market, Peiping, March 2, 1931.

92842. No. 6896. *Yu hulu*, oil dipper gourd.

92843. No. 6897. *Huo kuo hulu*, cricket gourd.

92844. No. 6898. *Hsiao tung yang hulu*, small Japanese gourd.

92845. No. 6899. *Ta ya ya hulu*, large ornamental gourd.

92846. No. 6900. *P'iao hulu*, water dipper gourd.

92847. No. 6901. *Hsiao ya ya hulu*, small ornamental gourd.

92848. LUFFA ACUTANGULA (L.) Roxb. Cucurbitaceae. Singkwa towelgourd.

No. 6815. *Canton 8-corner gourd*. From the Peiping Botanical Garden, February 24, 1931.

LUFFA CYLINDRICA (L.) Roemer (*L. aegyptiaca* Mill.). Cucurbitaceae. Suakwa towelgourd.

92849. No. 6816. *Peiping thread gourd*. From the Botanical Garden, February 24, 1931.

92850. No. 6882. *Ssu kwa*, thread gourd. From the village of Hsiangtang.

92851. No. 6905. *Hsien ssu kwa*, a thread gourd from the East Market, Peiping, March 2, 1931.

92852. No. 6906. *Pen ssu kwa*, a thread gourd from the East Market, Peiping, March 2, 1931.

92853 to 92866. LYCOPERSICON ESCULENTUM Mill. Solanaceae. Tomato.

Nos. 92853 to 92862 were obtained in the Botanical Garden, Peiping, February 24, 1931. The Chinese call tomatoes foreign eggplants.

92853. No. 6804. *Huang se chieh*, yellow foreign eggplant.

92854. No. 6805. *Peiping chieh*, Peiping foreign eggplant.

92855. No. 6806. *Early ssubakus ali-ana*.

92856. No. 6807. *Ten hung tan chieh*.

92857. No. 6808. An early small red tomato.

92858. No. 6809. *Hung se tau chieh*, a red tomato.

92859. No. 6810. *Yen se tan chieh*, beautiful color, foreign eggplant.

92860. No. 6811. An early tomato.

92861. No. 6812. *Early kus ali*.

92862. No. 6813. *Kuantung fan chieh*, Manchurian tomato.

92863. No. 6869. *Hong yuen*. A Chinese variety presented by the Man-shu Nosan Shokai (Inc.), wholesale seed growers and dealers, Dairen, Manchuria.

Nos. 92864 to 92866 were obtained in the East Market, Peiping, March 2, 1931.